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NICHOLAS, D.

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Applicant claims "small entity" status.

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AMENDMENT

Responsive to the Official Action dated January 30, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows: